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FOR: STAUROSPORINE DERIVATIVES FOR HYPEREOSINOPHILIC
SYNDROME

MS: Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office action dated April 28, 2008, response due on July 28, 2008, here extended three months by simultaneously-filed Petition for Extension of Time to be due on October 28, 2008, kindly enter the following response.

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